LEGAL NOTICE FOR FIRE DISTRICT ELECTION ANNUAL ELECTION OF WADING RIVER FIRE DISTRICT DECEMBER 13, 2016

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to the qualified electors of the WADING RIVER FIRE DISTRICT in the Towns of Brookhaven and Riverhead, Suffolk County, New York, that the Annual Election will be held in the said Fire District, at the Fire Headquarters, 1503 North Country Road, Wading River, New York 11792, Tuesday, December 13 2016, between the hours of 2:00 P.M. and 9:00 P.M. (EST) for the purpose of the election of two (2) Fire Commissioners, one (1) Fire Commissioner for a term of five (5) years, commencing January 1, 2017 and expiring on December 31, 2021 and one (1) Fire Commissioner for the term of one (1) year commencing on January 1, 2017 and expiring on December 31, 2017.

NOTICE IS HEREBY FURTHER GIVEN that the designating petitions for the Office of Commissioner must be filed in the Office of the Secretary of the Fire District at 1503 North Country Road, Wading River, New York at least twenty (20) days prior to the date of Election, namely November 23, 2016. All candidates for office shall obtain petitions from the Fire District Secretary at 1503 North Country Road, Wading River, New York between the hours of 9:00 A.M. and 4:00 P.M. The petition must identify the office that the candidate is seeking. All persons who have registered with the Suffolk County Board of Elections on or before November 21, 2016, and who shall have resided in said District for a period of thirty (30) days next preceding the election of Commissioner are eligible to vote for Commissioner and on the bond resolution.

NOTICE IS HEREBY FURTHER GIVEN that, on the 26th day of September, 2016, the Board of Commissioners of the Wading River Fire District in the Towns of Brookhaven and Riverhead adopted the following bond resolution:

BOND RESOLUTION DATED SEPTEMBER 26, 2016.

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE CONSTRUCTION OF ADDITIONS TO AND RECONSTRUCTION OF FIRE DISTRICT FACILITIES FOR THE WADING RIVER FIRE DISTRICT IN THE TOWNS OF BROOKHAVEN AND RIVERHEAD, SUFFOLK COUNTY, NEW YORK, AT A MAXIMUM ESTIMATED COST OF \$6,800,000, AND AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF \$6,800,000 SERIAL BONDS OF SAID FIRE DISTRICT TO PAY THE COST THEREOF.

WHEREAS, the capital project hereinafter described has been determined to be a Type II Action pursuant to the regulations of the New York State Department of Environmental Conservation promulgated pursuant to the State Environmental Quality Review Act, the implementation of which as proposed, the Board of Fire Commissioners has therefore determined will not result in any significant adverse environmental impact;

WHEREAS, it is now desired to authorize said capital project and its financing; NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT

BE IT RESOLVED, by the Board of Fire Commissioners of Wading River Fire District in the Towns of Brookhaven and Riverhead, Suffolk County, New York, as follows:

Section 1. The construction of additions to and reconstruction of Fire District facilities, including original furnishings, equipment, machinery, apparatus, appurtenances, site improvements (including new storage building), and incidental improvements and expenses in connection therewith, for the Wading River Fire District in the Towns of Brookhaven and Riverhead, Suffolk County, New York, is hereby authorized at a maximum estimated cost of \$6,800,000.

Section 2. The plan for the financing of the aforesaid maximum estimated cost shall be by the issuance of \$6,800,000 serial bonds of said Fire District hereby authorized to be issued therefore pursuant to the provisions of the Local Finance Law.

Section 3. It is hereby determined that the period of probable usefulness of the aforesaid class of objects or purposes is twenty-five years pursuant to subdivision 12(a)(1) of paragraph a of Section 11.00 of the Local Finance Law.

Section 4. The faith and credit of said Wading River Fire District in the Towns of Brookhaven and Riverhead, Suffolk County, New York, are hereby irrevocably pledged for the payment of the principal of and interest on such bonds as the same respectively become due and payable. An annual appropriation shall be made in each year sufficient to pay the principal of and interest on such bonds becoming due and payable in such year. There shall annually be levied on all the taxable real property in said Fire District a tax without limitation

as to rate or amount sufficient to pay the principal of and interest on such bonds as the same become due and payable.

Section 5. Subject to the provisions of the Local Finance Law, the power to authorize the issuance of and to sell bond anticipation notes in anticipation of the issuance and sale of the serial bonds herein authorized, including renewals of such notes, is hereby delegated to the Fire District Treasurer, the chief fiscal officer. Such notes shall be of such terms, form and contents, and shall be sold in such manner, as may be prescribed by said Fire District Treasurer, consistent with the provisions of the Local Finance Law.

Section 6. All other matters except as provided herein relating to the serial bonds herein authorized including the date, denominations, maturities and interest payment dates, within the limitations prescribed herein and the manner of execution of the same, including the consolidation with other issues, and also the ability to issue serial bonds with substantially level or declining annual debt service, shall be determined by the Fire District Treasurer, the chief fiscal officer of such Fire District. Such bonds shall contain substantially the recital of validity clause provided for in Section 52.00 of the Local Finance Law, and shall otherwise be in such form and contain such recitals, in addition to those required by Section 51.00 of the Local Finance Law, as the Fire District Treasurer shall determine consistent with the provisions of the Local Finance Law.

Section 7. The validity of such bonds and bond anticipation notes may be contested only if:

- Such obligations are authorized for an object or purpose for which said Fire
 District is not authorized to expend money, or
- 2) The provisions of law which should be complied with at the date of publication of this resolution are not substantially complied with,

and an action, suit or proceeding contesting such validity is commenced within twenty days after the date of such publication, or

3) Such obligations are authorized in violation of the provisions of the Constitution.

Section 8. This resolution shall constitute a statement of official intent for purposes of Treasury Regulations Section 1.150-2. Other than as specified in this resolution, no monies are, or are reasonably expected to be, reserved, allocated on a long-term basis, or otherwise set aside with respect to the permanent funding of the object or purpose described herein.

Section 9. Upon this resolution taking effect, the same shall be published in full in the official newspaper of said Fire District for such purpose, together with a notice of the Fire District Secretary in substantially the form provided in Section 81.00 of the Local Finance Law.

Section 10. This resolution shall take effect upon its approval by a majority of the qualified voters of said Fire District voting on a proposition for its approval at the annual election to be held on December 13, 2016.

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The proposition to be submitted to the voters with respect to such bond resolution shall be as follows:

PROPOSITION

Shall the resolution entitled: "BOND RESOLUTION DATED SEPTEMBER 26, 2016. A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE CONSTRUCTION OF ADDITIONS TO AND RECONSTRUCTION OF FIRE DISTRICT FACILITIES FOR THE WADING RIVER FIRE DISTRICT IN THE TOWNS OF BROOKHAVEN AND RIVERHEAD, SUFFOLK COUNTY, NEW YORK, AT A MAXIMUM ESTIMATED COST OF \$6,800,000, AND AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF NOT EXCEEDING \$6,800,000 SERIAL BONDS OF SAID FIRE DISTRICT TO PAY THE COST THEREOF.", duly adopted by the Board of Fire Commissioners of said Fire District on the 26th day of September, 2016, be approved?

Dated: October 10, 2016

BOARD OF FIRE COMMISSIONERS WADING RIVER FIRE DISTRICT

Towns of Brookhaven and Riverhead Suffolk County, New York

By: Steven Donnelly Fire District Secretary